

**Biography: W. Criss Lott, Ph.D.**

Dr. Lott is a clinical and forensic psychologist. He is a graduate of Millsaps College and the University of Southern Mississippi. He obtained his bachelor's degree in Philosophy from Millsaps College and obtained his Ph.D. in clinical psychology from the University of Southern Mississippi. He was a staff psychologist on the Forensic Services at Mississippi State Hospital for six years and he served as the Coordinator for Outpatient Forensic Services. He was the Clinical Director at the Baptist Chemical Dependency Center and the Director of Outpatient Services at St. Dominic's Behavioral Health Services. He is currently in private practice and conducts clinical and forensic evaluations. He has served as an adjunct faculty member of the Clinical Psychology Program at Jackson State University, and he has taught at Millsaps and Tougaloo College. Dr. Lott is a past president of the Mississippi Psychological Association and the Mississippi Hospital Behavioral Health Association, and he has also served as the Executive Director of the Mississippi Psychologists Political Action Committee.